(based on data from 03/01/1996 to 02/28/2001)

## **Tres Palacios Creek Tidal**

Segment: 1501 Colorado-Lavaca Coastal Basin

**Basin number:** 15 **Basin group:** E

**Water body description:** From the confluence with Tres Palacios Bay in Matagorda County to a point

1.0 km (0.6 miles) upstream of the confluence of Wilson creek in Matagorda

County

Water body classification: Classified
Water body type: Tidal Stream
Water body length / area: 8 Miles

Water body uses: Aquatic Life Use, Contact Recreation Use, General Use, Fish Consumption Use

Standards Not Met and Concerns in Previous Years		Support Status		
Assessment Area	Use	or Concern	Parameter	Category
Entire segment	Aquatic Life Use	Partially Supporting	depressed dissolved oxygen	5b

**Additional Information:** The contact recreation and general uses are fully supported. The fish consumption use was not assessed.

This segment was identified on the 2000 303(d) List as partially supporting the aquatic life use due to depressed dissolved oxygen. Because an insufficient number of 24-hour dissolved oxygen values were available in 2002 to determine if the criterion is supported, this segment will be identified as not meeting the standard for dissolved oxygen until sufficient 24-hour measurements are available to demonstrate support of the criterion.

2002 Concerns:			
Assessment Area	Use or Concern	Concern Status	Description of Concern
Entire segment	Aquatic Life Use	Use Concern	depressed dissolved oxygen
Entire segment	Contact Recreation Use	Use Concern	bacteria

Monitoring sites used:		
Assessment Area	Station ID	Station Description
Entire segment	12515	TRES PALACIOS CREEK TIDAL AT FM 521 EAST OF PALACIOS